

Elmira, Aug 14, /88.

Dear Mr. Whitford:

These are piping times
among the competing
telegraph companies.
If you know the Presi-
dent of the Balt- & Ohio
Tel Co, or parties con-
nected with the new Co,
would you mind telling
them that if they haven't bought
anything better before the
15th of Sept, a client of yours
will then be glad to exhibit
to them, on a regular tele-
graph line, a printing
instrument, for which he

15-4-1944

DSI

claims several virtues
among them, these:

1. That it cannot get
out of unison.
2. As many of the instru-
ments may be used on ~~the~~
one & the same line as you please.
3. It will print 65 words a
minute.
4. Any idiot can operate
it. No experts required.

Wm Young

S L Clemens

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aug 14th
1885

TELETYPE

CLEMENS, S. L. (1835-1910. Mark Twain, for seventeen years a resident of Hartford, Conn.) A.L.S., 2 pages, 1885.

“will be glad to exhibit on a regular telegraph line, a printing instrument . . . (1) it cannot get out of unison. (2) As many may be used on one and the same line as you please. (3) It will print 65 words a minute. (4) Any idiot can operate it.”

[26] \$30.00

fine condition.

[21]

\$60.00

BELLINGHAM, Richard (1592-1672. Colonial Governor of Massachusetts).

D.S., "*Ri. Bellingham Dep. Govr.*", 1662. A warrant for the arrest of Richard Ward of Sudbury, Mass., for assault on John Woodward of that town.

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\$40.00

HARVARD

BOWDOIN, James, et al. (1726-1790. Governor of Massachusetts; Bowdoin College named in his honor).